

For those of us who have already purchased thousands of dollars worth of high-definition televisions that have only analog component inputs, it would be totally unfair to penalize us by allowing "down-rezing" of analog signals. Despite Hollywood's concern about copy protection, most people have neither the time, technical know-how, or for that matter, the desire, to copy their movies. The time and effort aren't even worth it. Having lived through the same battle over Betamax and VHS, Hollywood didn't lose out allowing people to occasionally tape content. Since most people can't even program the clock on their VCR, I seriously doubt they can handle copying Hollywood content! If downrezing is allowed, I for one don't intend to watch the programming or pay the extra fees to get high definition programming, which I wouldn't be able to watch anyway. Hollywood loses out completely in that scenario. I have read that they just want everyone to replace their current TV's with updated ones that have the right digital input. Well, that's fine for all of them who have unlimited wealth, but for those of us who don't and who generate all that wealth for them by watching their movies, they might want to think of us for a change. Please don't allow downrezing of cable and satellite signals. Thank you.